IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) ` |
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| Madalina BALTATU et. al. |) Group Art Unit: 2624 |
| Application No. 10/584,506 |))) Examiner: Desire, Gregory M. |
| § 371 Date: June 13, 2007 |) |
| For: USER AUTHENTICATION METHOD BASED ON THE UTILIZATION OF BIOMETRIC IDENTIFICATION TECHNIQUES AND RELATED ARCHITECTURE | Confirmation No. 4571)))) |

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action mailed September 30, 2010. An electronic fee payment of \$130 is included with this filing.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 28, 2011

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